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Thank you,

Rob Kearbey

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Jeff Mace

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Jill Duncan

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Thank you.

Lisa M. Cannon
DC Resident – Ward 6

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Thank you,

Tamara Webster

I am a customer of the Sauca food truck and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,
Margaret Noonan

I am a customer of many food trucks, including Curbside Cupcakes and Sauca, and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,
Paul Guerino

I am writing to you as a private citizen and resident of DC to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value.

The additional choices in the lunch trucks allow me to actually buy lunch as opposed to eating the mediocre and overpriced food at most city lunch restaurants. The market should dictate this. Safety and cleanliness regulations, as well as appropriate taxing of food trucks should be put in place.

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Thank you,

Eric Tomasi

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Thank you,

Elizabeth H. Fishkin

I am a regular customer of the new food trucks that have been popping up downtown in recent years and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

BIDs have a place in DC, but that does not give them the right to push for anti-free market, anti-small business regulation that flies in the face of everything that makes DC an improving business environment.

Thank you,

John Stinson
1215 10th Street NW
Washington DC 20001

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Patricia K. Snowden

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Thank you,

Jihee Kang Lombardi

DC resident

I am a customer of Curbside Cupcakes and other mobile food vending trucks, and I'm writing to support proposed DCRA regulation Title 24, Chapter 5, to allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering a variety of dining options to those of us who work in DC. I endorse passing the regulations as written to protect the diverse vending options in the District of Columbia.

I and my co-workers appreciate the choices and better prices offered by mobile vendors. Stopping the trucks will not cause me to spend money elsewhere, I'll just start bringing my lunch to work again.

Thanks,

Tami Williams

I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5. I understand some Business Improvement Districts are trying to add in language that would cause difficulty for mobile food vendors. I love food trucks and I hope many more become common place on the streets of downtown. Please don't let these food trucks get squeezed out of business.

Thanks,

Jonathan Turk
1301 Vermont Ave, NW
Washington, DC 20005

I sometimes patronize local DC food carts. Especially when my office relocates to an area that is underserved by good lunch dining locations, I count on food carts to vary my daily routine.

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Thank you,
John L King
700 block of Quincy St. NW

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E. Brooke Marshall

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I have heard such comments as, "These trucks park in front of established businesses to skim off the top." I have to say that is ludicrous! All of these vendors/owners make a concerted effort to provide an alternative option in areas of high density, period.

Please support them and US as we continue to develop the character of DC into a fun, diverse city more than on par with New York - in most ways superior. :)

Thank you for your consideration of this matter,

Beth Dennis

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Thank you,

Gautam Chowdhry

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Thank you,

Asif Mustaqim

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Thank you,

Shawn Gallagher

I am a customer of multiple food trucks that operate in the downtown area and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

I think that these food trucks are offering something to the city that traditional restaurants cannot and bring variety to office workers all over the city who are bored with the local chain restaurants they are faced with every day.

Thank you,

Susan Wolfinbarger

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Deborah Okutuga

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Thank you,

Paul Schramm
1812 Swann St NW
Washington DC 20009

I am a resident of Washington, DC (20010) and a customer of Curbside Cupcakes and other mobile vendors. I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in our city.

Thank you,

Gretchen Thornton
3636 16th St. NW
Washington, DC 20010

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Thank you.

Andréa M. Gatewood
524 10th St SE

I am a customer of Curbside Cupcakes and other mobile food vendors in DC. Mobile food vendors are a part of DC culture and industry, and they should be allowed to continue operating. I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,
Amanda Kloer

I am a resident of Virginia but I work in Washington, D.C. and eat a majority of my meals downtown. Therefore, I am an important part of your tax base. I have been excited to see the vending options in DC expand in recent years, including a new and large variety of mobile vendors.

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Thank you,
Jessica Arons

I am a loyal customer of Curbside Cupcakes and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city. I want the Curbside Cupcakes and other similar vendors to keep operating in the City. I am a District resident and like to see this type of small business flourish.

Thank you,

Connie Cahanap
Capitol Hill Resident

I am a customer of Curbside Cupcakes and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,

Michael Haston
2000 N Street NW
Washington, DC 20036

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Thank you,
Sapna Mehta

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Thank you,

Greg Higgins
2426 Ontario Road NW
Washington, DC 20009

I am a customer of Fojol Brothers, Sauca, and other food carts in the downtown area. I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,

Preston Winter
Washington, DC resident, Ward 1

I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5.

As a District resident, I've watched with sheer happiness as the food truck options around DC have increased rapidly. In short, they have been everything the stationary vending cart industry should have been, but for reasons I can't appreciate, never became. The food trucks offer diverse variety (from Fojol brothers to Sauca to the coming-soon Lobster Roll truck and so on), as well as quality and reasonable prices. As a consumer, it is no surprise to me that the food truck popularity has sky-rocketed so quickly - we have been starving for these types of options as long as I can remember.

DC's (until recently) appalling lack of street food options holds it back from being a true food-lovers destination. Fortunately, the food trucks are changing that.

It is for these reasons that I support Title 24, Chapter 5. Please do whatever is possible to maintain and grow the diverse options of street food (be it the food trucks or the stationary vending carts) in DC. Help make DC a food-lovers paradise.

Thank you,

James Davis
1420 Harvard St, N.W., #306
Washington, D.C. 20009

I am a customer of several of the district's mobile food carts and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,

Chris Wildes

I am a customer of Curbside Cupcakes, Fojol Bros., the Korean truck and other curbside vendors and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,

Clinton Sears

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Regards,
Chris Pascuzzo

I am an eager customer of many of the new food trucks that have recently begun to operate in the District. I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value.

I understand that there are efforts afoot to undermine these regulations and make it more difficult to operate food trucks in the city. I happen to work in an area with very limited food choice and the occasional visit to Fojol Brothers or Curbside Cupcakes really brightens a slow day at the office. I hope I can count on you to work to ensure that the city's laws and regulations protect and promote diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,
Melissa Cheatham
1449 Corcoran St NW

I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city. Mobile vendors are an important and diverse aspect to this great city.

Thank you,

Jennifer

I am a customer of numerous food trucks in Washington, DC, including the Fojol Brothers, Sauca, Curbside Cupcake, and soon I am looking forward to fresh lobster rolls. Recently, it has come to my attention that some businesses oppose these trucks, likely because it interferes with their ability to charge \$10 for something that should be \$5.

I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city. The city does not need fewer food trucks, it needs many, many more. It lowers the barrier to entry to many new and talented chefs to showcase diverse talent that wouldn't be viable in a "brick and mortar" location.

Thank you,

Christopher Petrilli

I am a customer of many of the various mobile food trucks in DC and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,

Katrina R. Brown

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Thank you

Jessica Gardner
Washington, DC

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Thank you,

Danielle Assante
Dupont Circle

I am a customer of the Fojol Bros. and Sauca mobile food vendors and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Similarly to hometown (Austin, Texas) these and other mobile food vendors can really enhance the vibrancy of a city and can help to fill a void where no adequate lunch options are accessible (SW Waterfront, for example).

Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,

James K. Graham

I am a customer of Fojol Brothers, Curbside Cupcakes, Sauca and other food vending trucks and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations.

Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in a city which seems to be doing everything in its power to eliminate local establishments and replace them with chain after chain of banal, suburban franchises that lack any character or style.

Large numbers of people work in the Metro Center/Penn Quarter area, and exorbitant rent has turned this area exclusively into a mall for tourists and not a place for those of us who come here to work every day. These curbside options should be encouraged.

Thank you,
Douglas Stailey

I am a loyal customer of Curbside Cupcakes and I am writing to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering convenience, more choices and value. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,
Michael Maxwell

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Thank you,
Douglas Pendleton

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Thank you,
Kari Heikes

I'm a resident of Ward 1 and I work downtown. I am also a customer of Curbside Cupcakes, Fojol Brothers, Sauca, El Floridano, and other mobile food vendors in this city. I am writing today to support the current proposed DCRA regulation Title 24 Chapter 5 that will allow mobile vendors to stay in DC and continue offering more choices and value.

This is one of the best trends to happen to our city in a long time. Please do not allow the introduction of any discriminatory language into these regulations. No setting up within 25 feet of another restaurant? That is just about the most ridiculous thing I've ever heard. If I can walk down the block and see 5 bricks-and-mortar restaurants side-by-side, then why does it matter if a mobile food vendor is near one?

Believe me, I WILL NOT be spending money in ANY downtown eateries if the discriminatory language is included, as I will not support businesses that feel they can only compete by shutting down other options, rather than simply putting out better products at better prices. Please pass the regulations as written and protect the diverse vending options in the city.

Thank you,
Jen Sloane
DC resident for 10+ years

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Curbside Cupcakes is a gem to the city, a cupcake store on wheels that my daughter and I bike to once a week. We enjoy visiting different areas of the city to get our cupcakes and appreciate the diversity that they and other mobile vendors offer.

Thanks,
Abbie Rufener